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FOR RELEASE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Montana State University President H. K. Newburn announced 27 faculty appointments this week, bringing the total number of new faculty members this fall to 43.

Robert B. Turner, who will be an instructor in botany, holds a B. S. degree from North Dakota Agricultural College and an M. S. from Utah State University. He has been a teaching assistant at Washington State University and a range conservationist for the U. S. Department of the Interior.

John C. H. Jones is joining the business administration faculty as an instructor. He received a B. A. from University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, Great Britain, and an M. A. from MSU, where he was a graduate assistant last year.

Abu N. M. Mahmood, lecturer at the University of Dacca, Pakistan, from 1949 to 1957, will be a lecturer in economics. He holds B. A. and M. A. degrees from the University of Dacca and has done advanced work at Harvard University.

Joining the economics faculty as assistant professors are Dr. Marian <sup>(sic)</sup> Krzyzaniak, a native of Poland, who was a research associate at the University of Michigan last year, and Dr. Richard C. Spangler, who was an analyst for the Library of Congress from 1957 to 1959. Dr. Krzyzaniak holds a master of economics and political science degree from the University of Poznan, Poland, and an M. A. from the University of Alberta. His <sup>(sic)</sup> Ph. D. is from Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Dr. Spangler earned A. B., M. A., and Ph. D. degrees from the University of California at Los Angeles. He taught at Whittier College in California for the past five years.

James R. Leonard, a graduate of the University of Texas, will be an instructor in economics. He has taught at Northwestern University, where he earned an M. A. degree, and has been a research economist for a national trade union.

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Miss Eleanor F. Brown will be an assistant professor of library science in the School of Education, and Mrs. Ella Ortner will be a visiting instructor in education. Miss Brown earned a B. A. in education from Washington State College, a B. A. in library science from the University of Washington, and an M. A. in education from Syracuse University. She was head librarian for the Deschutes Co. Library, Bend, Ore., for several years, and she has written five books for children. Mrs. Ortner, who holds a master's degree from the University of Tulsa, has taught in Montana and Oklahoma high schools.

New instructors in the English Department are John M. Schwarz, Ved P. Sharma, and Mrs. Ruth R. Teel. As an undergraduate at MSU, where he earned B. A. and M. A. degrees, Schwarz had a short story, "Harris," published in New Campus Writing. He has taught English in a New Jersey high school, and last year he was a graduate assistant at MSU.

Sharma will teach courses in the humanities taught last year by Douglas Bankson, who has transferred to the staff of the Drama Department. Sharma received B. A. and M. A. degrees from Punjab University, India, and did advanced work at the University of Minnesota, where he also taught. Mrs. Teel, a member of the Missoula High School faculty for the past three years, received a master's degree from MSU this summer.

Dr. James S. Edmundson will be an assistant professor of French. He holds B. A. and M. A. degrees in French from the University of Washington, a B. S. in foreign service from Georgetown University, and a Ph. D. in French from Columbia University, where he has been a lecturer in French.

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Lawrence C. Merriam Jr., who will be an assistant professor of forestry, was forester in charge of state park and state highway forestry activities for the Oregon State Highway Department from 1953 to 1959. He was graduated from the University of California with a B. S. in forestry, and he has a master of forestry degree from Oregon State College.

Dr. Marie Morisawa, an instructor at Bryn Mawr College from 1955 to 1959, will be an assistant professor of geology. She has an A. B. from Hunter College, an M. A. from the University of Wyoming, and a Ph. D. from Columbia University.

Mrs. B. Lorraine McCoy has joined the home economics faculty to teach clothing design, textile design, and interior decoration. She took a B. A. at Howard Payne College and an M. A. at MSU. She was a lecturer at Central Washington College of Education last year.

New dietitians on the food service staff are Mrs. Margaret L. Fudge and Mrs. Constance N. Haney. Mrs. Fudge earned a B. S. in home economics at Iowa State College, and Mrs. Haney has a B. S. from MSU.

Ralph P. Hassman, a former member of the University of Idaho faculty, will be an assistant professor of health and physical education. His B. S. degree was earned at Oregon State College and his M. S. at the University of Oregon.

Thomas P. Hazard Jr. and Dallas J. Reed will be instructors in sociology. Hazard earned a B. S. degree, magna cum laude, from Columbia University and has completed the course work for the Ph. D. there. Reed, a native of Missoula and a graduate of MSU, has an M. A. from MSU and has completed the course work for the Ph. D. at the University of Minnesota.

Mrs. Mabel Murchison Brewer will join the MSU Library staff. She received a B. A., with honors, and an M. A. from MSU. Her experience includes work in the Flathead County High School library, Kalispell.

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Dr. Paul T. Rygg, a graduate of MSU, will be an assistant professor of mathematics. After earning M. A. and Ph. D. degrees at Iowa State College, he was an analyst with the Defense Department in Washington, D. C., for four years.

Voice teachers added to the music faculty are George D. Lewis, who will be an assistant professor, and Muriel J. Hevener, who will be an instructor. Lewis was on the music faculty of Northern Montana College, Havre, for the past four years, and from 1951 to 1957 he was director of vocal music and coordinator of junior and senior high school music for the Helena public schools. He holds a bachelor of music, with honors, and a master of music from MSU and has studied at Columbia University and the School of Music and Fine Arts, Palace of Fontainebleau, France.

Miss Hevener received her training at the Conservatory of Music of Cincinnati, where she earned a bachelor's degree in 1957 and a master's degree in 1959. She has been a soloist with church choirs and has given private lessons in voice and piano.

Dr. Albert C. Stillson, an analyst for the Library of Congress the last two years, will be an assistant professor of political science. After receiving an A. B. from Oberlin College, he earned M. A. and Ph. D. degrees at Columbia University.

Maj. Richard E. J. Scott, a graduate of the University of Omaha and a veteran of nearly 15 years' active military duty, will be an associate professor of air science. Capt. Harold D. Harris will be an assistant professor of military science and tactics. He is a graduate of the University of Wyoming.

Sixteen other new appointments to the faculty were announced earlier, Dr. Newburn noted.

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